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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Sato et al.
Serial No. : 10/602,141
Filed : June 23, 2003
Title : SERUM PROTEIN-ASSOCIATED TARGET-SPECIFIC LIGANDS AND IDENTIFICATION METHOD THEREFOR

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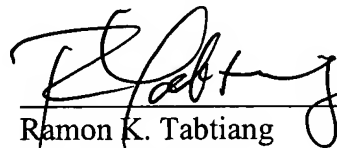
PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated June 8, 2005, be extended for one month to and including September 8, 2005.

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Respectfully submitted,

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